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Applicant(s): Fitzgibbon

Appln No.: 09/693,141

Filed: October 20, 2000

For: Movable Barrier Operator

Group Art

Unit: 2837

Examiner: Bentsu Ro

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Amendment
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
ATTENTION: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/reply in the above-identified application.

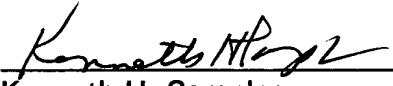
- ☒ Included with this amendment/reply are clean paragraphs/claims and marked-up paragraphs/claims according to 37 C.F.R. §1.121.
- ☐ A paper requesting correction/substitution of drawings is attached.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Independent Claims	2	3	** = 0	x \$ 84.00	= \$ 0.00
Total Claims	5	20	* = 0	x \$ 18.00	= \$ 0.00
Fee for Multiply Dependent Claims				\$ 280.00	
** At least 3				Total Additional Fee	\$ 0.00
* At least 20					
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status, thus reducing the fee by half to:					\$ 0.00

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

November 19, 2002
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Honorable Commissioner of
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ATTENTION: Assistant Commissioner
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 19, 2002, paper no. 13, please enter the following amendment.

✓ Please amend the claims as follows:

32. (Twice Amended) A motor control for a movable barrier operator,
comprising:
a circuit for providing a pulse signal comprising a series of pulses;
a motor control circuit responsive to the pulse signal, for starting the
motor and for determining the direction of rotation of the motor output shaft;